

Docket No.: 44084-467

**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| Applicant:   | Takatoshi MOCHIZUKI, et al.                                | RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE |
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|              |  | Customer No.: 20277                             |
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| Title: IMAGE | E PROCESSING DEVICE, IMAGE PE<br>PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR IMAGE | ROCESSING METHOD, AND<br>PROCESSING             |

## **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the Official Action mailed July 15,

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